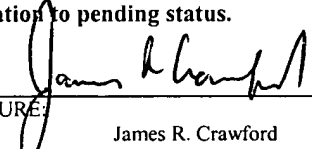


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FORM PTO 1390 (REV 11-2000)		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER DNAG-293	
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371				U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/511223	
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP03/04055		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATES April 17, 2003		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED April 20, 2002, October 12, 2002 and December 3, 2002	
MIXTURE FOR APPLYING A NON-CORROSIVE, THIN POLYMER COATING WHICH CAN BE SHAPED IN A LOW-ABRASIVE MANNER, AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME					
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US GROS					
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information X					
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.					
2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing 35 U.S.C. 371					
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.					
4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (PCT Article 31).					
5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))					
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).					
b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.					
c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).					
6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).					
a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.					
b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).					
7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))					
a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).					
b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.					
c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.					
d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.					
8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).					
9. <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).(unsigned).					
10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).					
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:					
11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.					
12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.					
13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.					
14. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.					
15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.					
16. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.					
17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.					
18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).					
20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information <u>PCT/IB/308;PCT/IB/332;; PCT/IPEA/416, PTC/IPEA/409</u>					

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17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted: BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) - (5)): <input type="checkbox"/> Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO And International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO \$1040.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report will be prepared by the EPO or JPO \$950.00 <input type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO \$740.00 <input type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$710.00 <input type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT = Surcharge of \$ _____ for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (e)).		CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%;"></td> <td style="width: 20%; text-align: right;">\$</td> <td style="width: 20%; text-align: right;">950.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td style="text-align: right;">130.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above Are reduced by 1/2.</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1080.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>SUBTOTAL =</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1080.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Processing fee of \$ _____ For furnishing the English translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (f)). +</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td style="text-align: right;">130.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1210.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). Assignment Must be accompanied by appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31) (_____ Per property). +</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1210.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">Amount to be Refunded:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">Charged:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$</td> </tr> </table>		\$	950.00		\$	130.00		\$			\$			\$		TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =	\$		<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above Are reduced by 1/2.	\$	1080.00	SUBTOTAL =	\$	1080.00	Processing fee of \$ _____ For furnishing the English translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (f)). +	\$	130.00	TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =	\$	1210.00	Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). Assignment Must be accompanied by appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31) (_____ Per property). +	\$		TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =	\$	1210.00		Amount to be Refunded:	\$		Charged:	\$
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